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Date: June 29, 1999

Mr. Edgar B. Brannon, Jr., Director
Pinchot Institute for Conservation Studies
Attn: Jenifer Wellington, Land Curator
USDA Forest Service
Milford, PA 18337

Dear Mr. Brannon:

On June 21, 1999, Rod Whiteman of my staff conducted an aerial detection survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at the Pinchot Institute for Conservation Studies. I am pleased to report that no defoliation was detected at, or in the vicinity of, your site.

However, if you anticipate requesting either financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2000, please contact Brad Onken or Rod by letter or telephone (304) 285-1541 before August 27, 1999.

Please contact Rod at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

JOHN W. HAZEL
Field Representative
Morgantown Area Office

cc: Larry Rhoads, PA BOF
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